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In re Application of: § ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.
§ RP9-98-089
DAVID C. CHALLENER, ET AL. §
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Serial No. 09/262,123 § Examiner: UNKNOWN
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Filed: March 3, 1999 §
§ Group Art Unit: 2766
For: **DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM** §
AND METHOD FOR MAINTAINING §
SECURE USER PRIVATE KEYS IN §
NON-SECURE STORAGE §

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
WITHIN THE SECOND MONTH

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for a two-month extension of time in which to file a Response in the above case, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a).

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING
37 C.F.R. § 1.8(A)

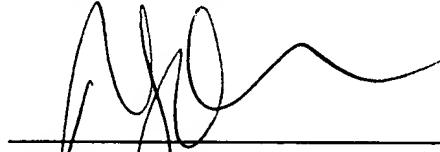
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Lebbie Moore
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Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$400.00 for a two-month extension fee. It is believed that no further extension of time fee is required; however, should an extension of time be required, please charge that fee as well as any other fees necessary to further the prosecution of this application to IBM Corporation's Deposit Account No. **50-0563**.

Respectfully submitted,



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